

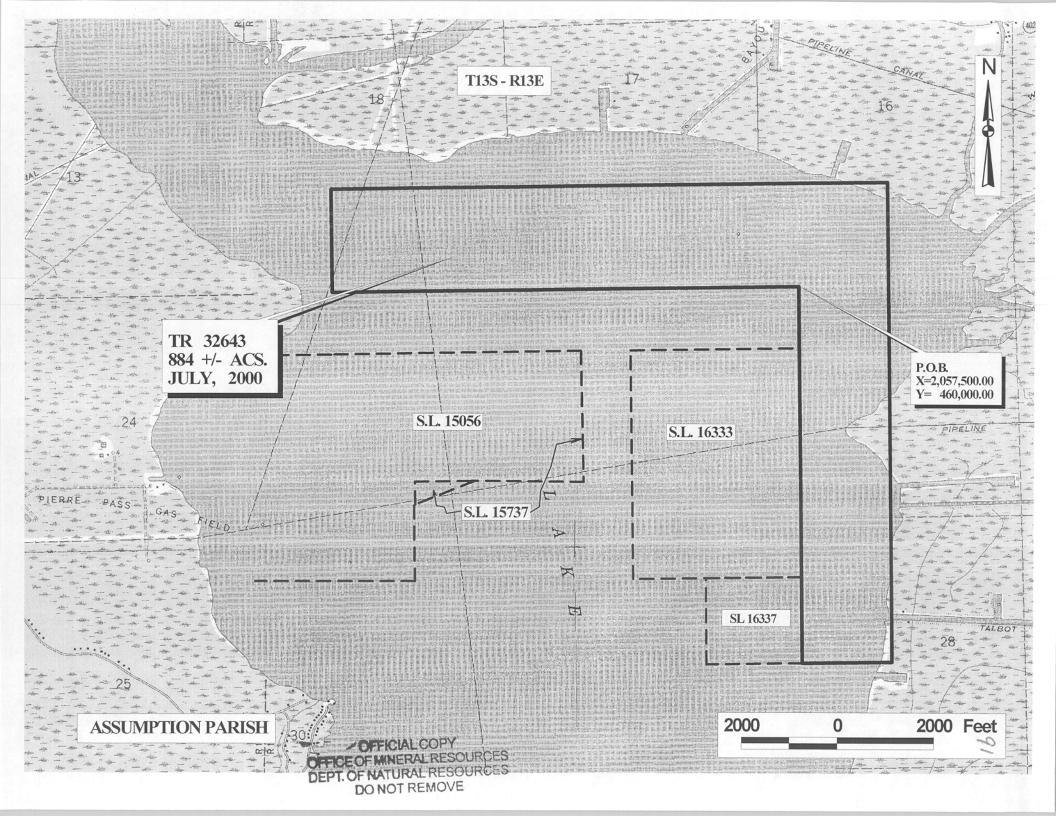
## TRACT 32643 - Assumption Parish, Louisiana

All of the lands now or formerly constituting the beds and bottoms of all water bodies of every nature and description and all islands and other lands formed by accretion or reliction, except tax lands, owned by and not under mineral lease from the State of Louisiana on July 12, 2000, situated in Assumption Parish, Louisiana, within the following described boundaries: Beginning at a point having Coordinates of X = 2,057,500.00 and Y = 1000460,000.00; thence West 9,667.00 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 2,047,833.00 and Y = 460,000.00; thence North 2,163.00 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 2,047,833.00 and Y = 462,163.00; thence East 11,519.00 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 2,059,352.00 and Y = 462,163.00; thence South 10,063.00 feet to a point having Coordinates of X = 2,059,352.00and Y = 452,100.00; thence West 1,852.00 feet to the Southeast corner of State Lease No. 16337 having Coordinates of X = 2,057,500.00 and Y =452,100.00; thence North 1,800.00 feet on the East boundary of said State Lease No. 16337 to its Northeast corner, being the Southeast corner of State Lease No. 16333 having Coordinates of X = 2,057,500.00 and Y = 453,900.00; thence North 4,800.00 feet on the East boundary of said State Lease No. 16333 to its Northeast corner having Coordinates of X = 2,057,500.00 and Y =458,700.00; thence North 1,300.00 feet to the point of beginning, containing approximately 884 acres, as shown outlined in red on a plat on file in the Office of Mineral Resources, Department of Natural Resources. All bearings, distances and coordinates are based on Louisiana Coordinate System of 1927 (South Zone).

NOTE: The State of Louisiana does hereby reserve, and this lease shall be subject to, the imprescriptible right of surface use in the nature of a servitude in favor of the Department of Natural Resources, including its Offices and Commissions, for the sole purpose of implementing, constructing, servicing and maintaining approved coastal zone management and/or restoration projects. Utilization of any and all rights derived under this lease by the mineral lessee, its agents, successors or assigns, shall not interfere with nor hinder the reasonable surface use by the Department of Natural Resources, its Offices or Commissions, as hereinabove reserved.

Applicant: Merlin Exploration, Inc.

Bidder	Cash Payment	Price / Acre	Rental	Oil	Gas	Other



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